

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	James Stewart McCormick et al.
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For	:	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
	:	NETWORK ELEMENT RESOURCE
	:	UTILIZATION TRACKING
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.114

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 7, 2008, and further to the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below:

CLAIM AMENDMENTS begin on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS begin on page 19 of this paper.